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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Incomplete Reply (NonProvisional) dated October 21, 2004, Applicants submit herewith 2 replacement sheets (Figs. 1 and 3) of drawings for the above-captioned application as listed below:

- ☒ [ X ] Petition for the Fourth and Fifth Month Extension of Time  
(1-3 months paid with Missing Parts on October 7, 2004).
- ☒ [ X ] Replacement Drawings (2 sheets – Figs 1 and 3)
- ☒ [ X ] Return copy of Notice of Incomplete Reply (2 pages).

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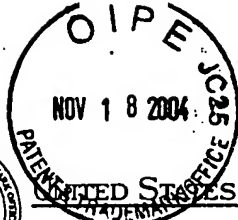
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## NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY (NONPROVISIONAL)

### *Filing Date Granted*

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has received your reply on 10/07/2004 to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed 05/07/2004 and it has been entered into the nonprovisional application. The reply, however, does not include the following items required in the Notice.

The period of reply remains as set forth in the Notice. You may, however, obtain EXTENSIONS OF TIME under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a) accompanied by the appropriate fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)).

A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application. Replies should be mailed to: Mail Stop Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria VA 22313-1450.

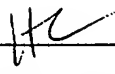
The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
  - The drawings have a line quality that is too light to be reproduced (weight of all lines and letters must be heavy enough to permit adequate reproduction) or text that is illegible (reference characters, sheet numbers, and view numbers must be plain and legible) see 37 CFR 1.84(l) and (p)(1)); See Figure(s) 1.

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